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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Submitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is the following:

- (1) Transmittal Letter;
- (2) Second Preliminary Amendment.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any excess to Deposit Account No. 14-0112.

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SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 1-10 without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter contained therein and add new claims 21-28 as outlined in Appendix A entitled "Claim Amendments", attached herewith.

REMARKS

Upon entry of the above amendment, claims 21-28 will be pending in the captioned application. The amendments to the claims do not introduce new matter within the meaning of 35 U.S.C. §132.

Accordingly, the Examiner is respectfully requested to enter the above amendment before examination. If the Examiner has any

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questions regarding this submission, she is invited to telephone the undersigned attorney.

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